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SAN GREGORIO

SAN GREGORIO, March 26.—A recipe shower was given to Miss Marguerite Ponce of Mayfield last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. A. Ponce. A dozen ladies responded to the invitations and each one brought a tested recipe, to benefit the young lady in the future. Mrs. Robert Silva delighted those present with her singing, after which Mrs. Ponce led the guests to the hall of John Kinney where decorated tables were loaded with the good things provided by the hostess. Those present were, Miss Marguerite Ponce, Mrs. S. A. Ponce, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. Chas. Baird, Mrs. A. Surtman, Mrs. J. Ralston, Mrs. Jack Mesquite, Mrs. J. Marshall, Mrs. Robert Silva, Mrs. M. Kriste, Mrs. John McKay, and the Misses Mabel Reese, Lotita Ponce, Claire McKay and Beatrice McKay. On Saturday Miss Ponce went to her home in Mayfield, where early in June she will become the bride of Allen Prior, a prosperous business man of Palo Alto. The best wishes of many friends are extended to the young couple.

Mrs. Mary Seavers of San Francisco spent the week end with the family of T. E. Roe.

Supervisor Joe Francis of Halfmoon Bay was a visitor here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. George Bond and Mrs. Harry Stratton drove to Lobitus Saturday and spent the day with Ed. Frey and family.

Jesse Palmer and C. Modeno were in Pescadero Monday, settling differences by law regarding the renting of the former's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson and little daughter spent Saturday and Sunday in San Francisco.

Chet Barker went to Modesto Saturday to play ball with the Olympic nine.

John V. Souza and wife and son spent a few days in Halfmoon Bay last week.

Mrs. Lott of San Francisco is spending her vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Silva, near Bellvale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McSweeney of South City spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith of Moss Beach, accompanied by the former's father, were here on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roy, and Clarence Roe, motored to Redwood last Wednesday.

Fred Hagal has returned to San Francisco after a few pleasant days spent in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montevardo of Pescadero were visitors here last week.

Wm. Brotherton has been on the sick list for the last few days.

John Bettencourt, the Irish Ridge politician, was in town a few days ago, accompanied by J. Rider, the Lobitus hotel keeper.

Messrs. Simmons, Croop and Rue of Halfmoon Bay were doing politics here Monday last.

HAPPY LA HONDA

LA HONDA, March 26.—Society was entertained by Mrs. Percy Weeks at the Woodruff last Saturday. On the way there, along the county road, through the sun-kissed redwoods that balmy day, our fair ladies looked like sweet girl graduates. We are glad the perfect days are with us once more—and the pretty summer dresses, too. A feast for the eyes—our women and our wonderful woods.

Percy Hillebrand of Woodside, on a circus horse, paid us a fraternal call this week.

Judge H. W. Lampkin, now under-sheriff of this county, and who, during his terms as Justice of the Peace, united in marriage 535 happy or unhappy couples, was here the early part of the week on official business—that is in connection with the sheriff's office—not in the matrimonial line.

Norman B. Smith, with Dr. E. C. Zickendath of Palo Alto, paid us a real doctor's visit Tuesday.

Mrs. Nick Bruno is in San Francisco seeing the big show. Mrs. Al Brackman has just returned from it. Amongst the others who saw the Exposition were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Weeks.

Trout season opens on the 1st of April and we expect a legion of anglers. May the fine weather continue.

Don Funge of Colma, debonair as of old, spent a few hours here yesterday. Married life seems to agree with him. Chas. Luscher of Redwood was another visitor whom married life also seems to make younger looking.

The roads are drying out and the hikers are coming. Professors W. H. Carruth, E. C. Franklin and F. C. Woodwax of Stanford have just passed our way. They lingered over night.

The interesting Bordi family from Mountain View, who have located on the Welshaer Alpine ranch, viewed La Honda for the first time early in the week.

We regret to hear of the continued illness of Frank Mesquite but hope for his early recovery.

Australia Liked It Too.

From far Australia comes the report of another success of Mr. Carrington's operetta, "Windmills of Holland." The sisters of St. Joseph's Academy, Wallaroo, South Australia, recently presented the play to a crowded house with great success. The audience was delighted with the music.

WILL CELEBRATE HIGHWAY FINISH

President M. B. Johnson of the San Mateo County Development Association has been authorized by the Board of Governors to appoint a committee of fifteen representative citizens for the purpose of making arrangements for a Good Roads Celebration on the completion of the bulk of the work under the \$1,250,000 bond issue. The Fourth of July is under consideration as the date for the celebration. By that time the boulevard will be practically completed and everything in readiness. While this date is a tentative one, it affords a splendid opportunity for the entire county to join hands in honor of Independence Day and the greatest undertaking ever carried out by the county.

A monster automobile parade will be one of the features of the good roads celebration. At that time of the year the great influx of Eastern visitors out here to view the exposition will have arrived. Our celebration should attract them in great numbers as San Mateo county is probably the best known county in the United States of its size.

REAL MUSICAL TREAT.

PROMISED APRIL EVENT.
Friday, April 9th, is the date set for the concert to be given under the auspices of the Methodist church.

In some respects this program is to be even better than the one given two years ago. A considerable sum is being spent to make this a very unusual program and one which will never be forgotten in Redwood City. One of the special features will be Oakland's popular harpist, Miss Irene Stratton, who will play three numbers. The Philomusia Sextette of Pacific Conservatory, the girls who made the hit of the day in San Francisco on Santa Clara County day, will give a part of the program. Charles E. Walters, the violinist, will play several times, and Miss Alva Greenwalt, elocutionist, will greatly augment the program and make those smile who have been solemn for years.

Tickets are now being sold. Reserved seats are only 50 cents. Reservation begins Monday, April 5, at Ryan's drug store.

REDWOOD CITY WILL HAVE

MANY NEW RESIDENCES.
If anyone doubts the future prosperity of Redwood City, he should take a little stroll around the town and see what is going on in the different sections in the way of building activity. He will see many new homes going up and if he should take the trouble to make inquiries, he will learn that plans have been prepared for fully seventy-five new residences within the coming year.

In Redwood Highlands the Geo. H. Irving Company has just finished eleven bungalows and has let the contract for several more. In an interview with Mr. Irving Tuesday he stated that the company intends to erect fully fifty more houses in Redwood Highlands this year. Harry Putman, the contractor and builder has two houses in the course of construction in the Highlands and expects to begin work on several others very shortly.

Zimmerman Bros. have just started another pretty bungalow for W. H. Hanson on Brewster street, and have also been given a contract to build a new factory at the Five Point for Ed. Bernzott, proprietor of the Sequoia candy store.

In Wellesley Park, McKenzie and Daly will begin work this week on two residences for the Redwood City Realty Company. The company is planning to erect a great many houses in the Park this year.

For comfort and ease get a pair of Orthopedic foot form shoes. They are warranted to wear at Einstein's.

NO ONE WANTS THE JOB AND

WOODSIDE P. O. WILL CLOSE

After an existence of sixty-five years, the Woodside post office, one of the oldest in the county, will close on the 31st instant and the people of that burg will have their mail delivered through the office of this city. Its suspension is due to the fact that no one seems to want the job of postmaster. Some months ago the department at Washington sent out notice calling for an examination for the fourth class, but no one responded. The department then consented to fill the office without an examination, and still there were no applicants. Mr. Price was then notified that the office would be closed and that the mail must be handled by his office. If the intention of the department is carried out it will probably result in an improved rural delivery.

The Woodside post office was established in 1850, M. A. Parkhurst being first in charge. When Mr. Parkhurst passed away in the early 50's he was succeeded by Dr. R. O. Tripp, his business associate.

In the early days Woodside was a thriving community with a large population on account of the lumber industry which was extensively carried on in the vicinity, and the post office was of some importance. In later years, when the lumber business ceased with the cutting away of the Redwood trees, and the rural delivery came into vogue, the business of the office dropped as low as \$300 a year. Changes in the administration made no change in the management of the office, and Dr. Tripp held on until his death in 1907, the last of the pioneers in that section. He was followed by Henry Jenkins who has been the postmaster until the present time.

GRAHAM NOT CANDIDATE

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

A card to the Public—Having been asked by friends to permit my name to be presented to the Superintendent of Schools for appointment as grammar school trustee in the event of the resignation of J. V. Swift, I gave my consent, hoping, as a citizen of Redwood City, and a taxpayer, to be of service to the public. I have since learned that there is a previous aspirant for the office. For this reason I ask my friends to withdraw my name, believing that such a course will do more to promote harmony, and advance the interests of the grammar school than would result from a contest for the trusteeship. Thanking those friends who have offered their support, I remain, Sincerely, D. E. Graham.

MEMORIAL WINDOW IN

MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH.

Twenty magnificent art glass windows, donated by different members of the parish, were recently installed in Mount Carmel Catholic church in this city. Among those who contributed groups and windows to the church were Mrs. Regina Hess, Judge Edw. F. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Geo. H. Buck, John Curry, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Walsh and the Knights of Columbus of San Mateo county. Memorial windows were placed on either side of the church in reverence to the memory of Mr. and Mrs. M. Flynn, L. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. H. King, J. and M. Stafford, Jo. B. Peters and J. H. and H. A. Doyle.

CANDY BUSINESS IS GOOD.

WILL OPEN BRANCH STORE

Ed Bernzott, proprietor of the Sequoia candy shop has found his business increasing to such an extent that he has been compelled to enlarge his plant. He has leased a piece of ground near the Five Points and has let the contract for the erection of a large candy factory and branch store.

The new shop will contain a modern, sanitary factory, an ice cream parlor and candy store. The old store will be remodeled and enlarged and a dressing room for women installed.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES OF MENLO PARK

Interesting Paragraphs of General Interest Gathered About the Town

C. J. Prouty, superintendent for Clark & Henery, has leased one of the Russell cottages on El Camino Real for the summer. Mr. Prouty formerly resided in San Francisco.

Mrs. L. Brogt wishes to express her thanks to kind friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and floral offerings during the illness and death of her husband.

The many friends of John MacBain will be pleased to learn that he is again able to be around. Mr. MacBain will attend the meeting of the board of supervisors at Redwood City, Monday, April 15th.

The young son of William Rahtje fell from a fence last Monday, sustaining a fracture of his collar bone. Dr. Ross was summoned and on arriving at the boy's home set the bone. The boy will be laid up for some time.

On and after March 28th, Duff & Doyle's store will not be open for business on any Sunday. For convenience of customers store will remain open until 8 p. m. Saturday evenings. Sunday newspapers will be served and on sale at rear door of store building until 9:30 a. m. and for rest of the day at Menlo Park drug store.

Robert Black while driving a team on the highway met with a painful accident. The horses became frightened at a steam roller, plunging forward they ran away, throwing the driver heavily to the ground. Black was badly bruised about the head. He was taken to his apartment where he received medical treatment.

Pipes are being laid in the Drexler tract preparatory to sewerage of the entire subdivision. The work is in charge of Jarvis Murray. Property owners residing there petitioned the sanitary commissioners some time ago to extend the sewer system to that locality and their request has been granted.

Owing to the vast amount of street work going on in and about Menlo Park, and the number of painters at the Flood mansion, the hotels are crowded to their fullest capacity. All the rooming houses in town are being rented by the hotel men in order to accommodate their patrons. Every spare room in private dwellings is also being pressed into service.

Clark & Henery, the contractors who have the contract to rebuild Santa Cruz avenue, began work on the highway on Monday with a large number of men and teams. The firm will complete the road to the bridge at the J. Henry Meyer place and from that point the work will be continued by Daniel Flynn, who has the contract to finish the thoroughfare to the road that leads to Portola at the Judge Allen property.

Through a private letter received, we are pleased to announce that Stdney Clack, formerly of this place, has been appointed as one of the International Jury of Award of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. Mr. Clack's appointment is in connection with the Flower Show to be held under the auspices of the Pacific Coast Horticultural Society in connection with the department of Horticulture of the Exposition.

Santa Clara county has filed a suit in the Superior Court against the trustees of Stanford University to condemn a right of way over a strip of land along the San Francisco creek to a point near the big tree for a county road. The road is to connect with proposed subway leading to Palo Alto avenue. The land sought to be condemned is owned by the Stanford University and as it could not be sold, public condemnation to take it by legal process was the only method to follow to secure the strip of realty. David V. Tuttle, gardener for E. S. Heller at Atherton this week received a colony of parasites commonly known as the lady bird, from the State Insectary at Sacramento, to feed on the aphids, known as the green fly, that at this time of the year destroy rose buds, fruit blossoms of all kind, and is generally destructive in gardens. Mr. Tuttle has turned the colony out in his garden and hopes the visitors will make war upon the enemy and destroy him. The parasite is dug from beneath the snow in the Sierras and shipped to Sacramento at a big expense and are then sent to orchardists and others throughout the State, free of all cost.

The closing of the Lenten season begins with next Sunday, Palm Sunday, the first day of Holy Week. At the Church of the Nativity, Menlo Park, the solemn blessing and distribution of the Palms will be had immediately before the High Mass at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning. There will be no sermon at the High Mass but the Gospel of the Passion of Our Lord will be read in English. Sunday evening the services, consisting of rosary, Lenten prayers, sermon and Benediction, will begin at 7:45 o'clock. There will be no services on Wednesday evening. On Thursday morning the Mass will begin at 9 o'clock. It will be a Solemn High Mass and will be followed by the procession of the Blessed Sacrament and Exposition which will last all day. In the evening the services will begin at 7:45 o'clock and will consist of rosary, a sermon on the Blessed Sacrament and Exposition, Friday morning the Solemn Intercessions for the various needs of man, the Adoration of the Cross and the Mass of the Presanctified will begin at 9 o'clock. On Fri-

day evening at 7:45 o'clock will be had the Sorrowful Way of the Cross, followed by a sermon on the Passion. The services will close with prayers for mercy. On Saturday morning the solemn functions will begin at 7:30 o'clock. They will consist of the Blessing of the new fire, the chanting of the prophecies, the blessing of the Paschal candle with the exultant and the blessing of the Baptismal font. The High Mass of the Resurrection will begin at 9 o'clock. Confessions will be heard on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons and evenings.

DELAYS IN PERFECTING APPEALS PROVE COSTLY

Judge Buck yesterday afternoon rendered a decision in the suit entitled Geo. O. Rich vs. C. B. Smith, giving judgment in favor of the plaintiff. This was an appeal case from the justice court of the Fourth township, and the defendant having failed to perfect his appeal to the Superior Court in the proper time, lost the appeal. The judge in rendering a decision says, "A rule of this court enforced for more than twenty years, requiring transcript on appeal from a justice court to be filed in this court within ten days after the perfection of the appeal, has been of much benefit to litigants and this Court. The transcript in this case was not filed in time. The appeal is dismissed."

The Court also rendered a decision in the case of Geo. O. Rich vs. the Moss Beach Water Company, and Geo. O. Rich vs. the Moss Beach Realty Company, giving judgment to the plaintiff for the same reason, the defendant having failed to perfect their appeal in time. The motion to dismiss the appeal in the case of Geo. O. Rich vs. the Moss Beach Construction Company was denied, thus Mr. Rich wins three cases, and loses one.

LOCAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL TEACHER SOON TO WED

The betrothal of Miss Beth Durham, a popular and charming teacher of the local grammar school, to Dr. Edward F. Miller, a member of the faculty of the University of California, Berkeley, was announced at a party given in her honor at the home of Mrs. George H. Leary Thursday evening. The lady teachers of the grammar and high schools were present.

The table decorations were pink roses and white bridal wreath. The dainty pink announcements were in a pink basket, tied with pink ribbons.

Miss Durham's many friends, while offering their congratulations, will be glad to know that she will complete the term's work at the school. Next year her class will be taught by Miss Gertrude Beeger, who is now on leave of absence.

It is rumored that Miss Sallie Nelson will be moved to follow in Miss Durham's footsteps.

ODD FELLOWS GATHER IN BIG DISTRICT MEETING

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the forty-fourth district, including San Mateo, Redwood City, Palo Alto Mayfield, and Mountain View, held a big joint meeting and banquet at the Masonic Temple at Palo Alto Thursday evening. District Deputy Grand Master H. W. Lampkin of Redwood City, and Past Grand Master C. L. Snyder of San Jose were there, and there was a great feast of reason and flow of soul.

FORMER LOCAL PRIEST WILL TOUR AUSTRALIA

Father D. O'Sullivan, formerly pastor of Mount Carmel church here, will shortly make a tour of Australia with his cousin, who is also a priest, and who will arrive in a few days from Washington, D. C., where he holds an important pastorate. Father O'Sullivan is the popular pastor of All Hallows Church in San Francisco, a pastorate he has held for a number of years. The trip will be an extended one, perhaps covering a period of six months. All of the priest's former parishioners wish him a bon voyage and a happy return.

Palace Market Remodeled

The Palace Market has been remodeled and painted and new marble counters installed so that the market looks spick and span. The meat and delicacies have been arranged in a manner which invites the public to purchase. The proprietor has arranged to make special sales every week. On Easter week choice eastern hams will be sold for 18 cents per pound. This price will only be good for that time. Other specials will be made known later.

Many Homeseekers Coming.

The street work which was completed in Redwood City late in 1914 has added both to the convenience and looks of the streets in which it was done that a great number of property owners in these sections are building both pretty homes and business structures, especially in the vicinity of the State Highway and Dumbarton cut-off.

E. W. Magruder reports quite a boom in the sale of lots since the fine weather. Parties who have previously bought and come to Redwood City see such a vast improvement in the place that they at once purchased more property, while all new comers are so delighted with the prosperous and progressive outlook of Redwood that they usually buy more property than they had figured on before coming.

NEWS GATHERED FROM THE COUNTY

Interesting Notes Picked Up By Hustling Reporters in the Country Districts

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO
F. Furino is preparing plans for a cottage to be erected on the rear of his lot on Grand avenue.

Dr. F. S. Dolly, the new proprietor of the South San Francisco General Hospital, is now located with his family in the former residence of Dr. Plymire. Mrs. Plymire has removed to Oakland, where she will make her home with her mother.

The grounds in front of the local Methodist Church are being planted to flowers.

Dr. Meyers, a veterinarian of Portland, Oregon, has removed to this city with his family and taken up the practice of his profession here.

Under the supervision of Leslie C. Kelley, the minister in charge, a number of improvements are being made to the grounds surrounding Grace Episcopal Church. Lawns and flowering shrubs are to be planted.

J. J. Dowd, the local shoe merchant, has announced his candidacy for school trustee at the election next month.

WOODSIDE NOTES

All local like Waltons are getting their rods and reels ready for the opening of the trout season on April first. Owing to the heavy rains of the past winter that caused big floods permitting the fish to come up the streams to spawn, the creeks hereabouts are well filled with speckled beauties.

Sheldon Monroe has a contract from Palo Alto wood dealers to chop and deliver 2000 cords of stove wood to the College City. Mr. Monroe is busily engaged in cutting the wood on his mountain ranch.

Walter Jelich's lease of the Peter Matheson saloon expires on the first of April and on and after that date the place will be conducted by Arthur Mathiesen, son of the owner of the property. Mr. Jelich will remain in Woodside to look out for a business opening.

Neuman Brothers are kept busy filling orders for the Dodge car, for which they are the agents for the county. This machine is a new make and a big improvement on all the old cars.

The stork, assisted by Dr. Ross of Redwood City, left a little girl baby at the home of A. Mangini of Woodside on Tuesday, March 23rd.

Isaac Liebes, the multi-millionaire fur dealer of San Francisco, recently purchased 22 acres of the Lawrence Kelly ranch near La Honda. The property faces on the proposed La Honda boulevard. Mr. Liebes is engaged in beautifying the place. He has a number of men and teams constructing roads and driveways. It is his intention to establish one of the prettiest homes in the peninsula on the elevated portion of the property. The sale was made by the University Realty Company of Palo Alto.

Attempts have been made for over a year to have the open square at the railroad station improved, but as usual action has been slow. Finally a petition was prepared and signed by leading citizens of the community asking the Southern Pacific Company to make the improvements. The idea was that the square should be paved so as to do away with mud in winter and dust in summer. Extra lights were also needed.

PESCADERO CORRESPONDENCE.

H. J. Bias, an attorney of Santa Cruz, contemplates opening an office here. He would be here every ten days to attend to business and would keep a man in the office to attend to matters while he was away.

Judge Fred Wideman has twelve teams plowing on the Pebble Beach rancho.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Coburn left for San Francisco Sunday, he said to attend to some peanut cases he has on hand. They sometimes turn out very costly.

L. Reid Littlefield came home from Fresno, where he has been since last October.

We hear that S. M. Bump is to leave his shortly, after being here for about a year in the employ of C. H. Wideman. The farmers say that a little more rain would be all right.

The Ocean Shore auto stage has started to run again after laying off for the past three months.

A. H. Gee, chief chamber maid of L. Coburn's livery stables, is back from the World's Fair and says, "all day foolie, charge too much, all same lobbies; Pescadero good place, him all right."

Bert Reese, James McCormick, Sr. and Bert Taggart were out for an auto ride Tuesday.

Arthur Teague is driving fast freight wagon for McCormick & Son.

C. H. Wideman left for San Francisco Sunday evening.

Earnest McKee is to move into the house formerly occupied by Manuel Bennett.

Dr. Thompson is having the road covered with gravel near Charles Steele's and it will be a good job.

FROM THE COAST SIDE

William Nelson, an old pioneer of Halfmoon Bay, and for many years postmaster here, passed away at his home Wednesday. He was for a long time engaged in the livery business. The deceased was married to a daughter of Judge Pitcher of this place. His only son, Harry, is the mail carrier for the rural delivery route at this point. Mr. Nelson was prominent in fraternal and political circles. Many years ago he was an aspirant for the office of tax collector on the Republican ticket, but was defeated by his relative, Henry Pitcher who was the Democratic candidate. In years ago he was a familiar figure at all the Republican conventions of the county. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Masons. Interment was in Odd Fellow's cemetery.

William Schneider, nine years old, was drowned last Saturday afternoon at Moss Beach. The lad was in wading when a huge breaker knocked him down, and before assistance could be rendered, he was carried out into the water. His mother, cousin and several of his playmates stood helpless on the beach and saw him drown. The boy's father is Otto Schwedler of 910 Alvarado street, San Francisco.

At the solicitation of a number of friends and neighbors, Harry Wagner has consented to allow the announcement of his candidacy for trustee of the Montara school district.

A number of the residence of Farallone are considering a project for the organization of a Rochdale cooperative store at that place.

Mrs. Gehr has closed her home at Montara and will reside with Mrs. Hamlin at Farallone.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Montara-Farallone Church have announced an April Fool party for the evening of April 3rd at the Montara hall.

W. D. Wilcox and family, who for the past two years have made their home at Farallone, are preparing to return to their ranch near Montara.

Mrs. J. C. McGovern of Halfmoon Bay has entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Roy Parker has returned to her home at Halfmoon Bay after an extended visit with relatives at San Jose.

IMPROVEMENT SPIRIT REACHES MENLO PARK

Town Awakens From Rip Van Winkle Sleep and Joins the Procession.

Menlo Park has evidently risen from its Rip Van Winkle sleep and is evident something in the way of improving the town will be done. A call for a meeting of the citizens for the purpose of forming an improvement club was responded to most enthusiastically and last Monday night Duff and Doyle hall was crowded with property owners and others eager to assist in rejuvenating the town. One striking feature of the gathering was the presence of new comers to this locality, men with broad liberal ideas, imbued with the spirit of progress and bent on improving the appearance of the village. Major Philip Wales was chosen to preside over the meeting, while W. L. Growall, in a neat speech explained the objects of the gathering. He explained the many needed improvements that were necessary to be done and urged that a permanent committee be appointed to bring certain matters before the supervisors. Rousing speeches were made by Attorney J. E. Bennett, W. J. Murray, J. H. O'Keefe, Attorney Gregory, W. C. Lyons, Harry Morey, Attorney E. Wakeman, John Kelly, C. W. Marwedel, W. L. Growall, Mr. Howell and others. From the trend of their discussion it is certain that Menlo Park is going to take on a new life and become one of the most attractive and prosperous municipalities of the peninsula.

James P. Dunning, aged 31, and Emily T. Anderson, aged 26, both of San Francisco.

Herman A. Spinat, aged 22, and Josephine A. Petty, aged 24, both of San Francisco.

J. E. Cheney, aged 21, and Florence J. McCarthy, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

W. F. Sullivan, aged 44, San Francisco, and Katherine Johnson, aged 23, Oakland.

John Stewart, aged 23, and Marjorie Erskine, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

John M. Biggio, 23 Colma, and Anna E. Kearns, 18, Halfmoon Bay.

Civil Action Transferred

The case of C. H. Wideman against George A. Nottle that was commenced in the Superior Court of San Francisco on January 25, was transferred to this county for trial yesterday. Plaintiff brings suit to recover the sum of \$1840.25. On January 22, 1914 the parties entered into an agreement whereby the defendant was to lease the lands of Wideman, who is a lessee of Loren Coburn, and cut ties, shakes, etc., for which he was to pay a certain price. Plaintiff claims that lumber, shakes, etc. were cut amounting to that sum and shipped from Pigeon Point and for which plaintiff has not been paid. Besides the sum of \$1840.25, plaintiff also asks for interest and costs of suit.

New Probate Applications.

Benjamin Loveland has applied in the Superior Court for letters of administration upon the estate of Annie Claffey, deceased, which estate is now in course of probate in the Superior Court. The heirs at law are James R. Davis, husband of the deceased, living at Alviso, and two children, Bernice Davis, aged two years, and Alma Davis, aged two years, residing at Woodside. Mr. Loveland has also applied for letters of administration upon the estate of Allan Loveland, who died on January 3d, 1915. The estate also consists of an interest in the Annie Claffey estate. The heirs at law are Mary L. Conover, mother of the deceased.

Through his attorney, Jas. T. O'Keefe, Edward J. Headley filed a petition for letters of administration upon his father's estate. William Headley died February 4, in San Francisco, but was long a resident of Menlo Park. The estate consists of real property, the value of which is unknown to the petitioner. The heirs are the petitioner and his brother, George A. Headley.

New Actions in Superior Court.

E. N. Torello has brought an action in the Superior Court against the Halfmoon Bay Light and Power Company to enjoin the stockholders from levying an assessment of \$2 per share upon the capital stock of the concern. The assessment notice was published on March 20. Plaintiff claims that the assessment was illegally levied by the directors of the company. Torello asks that the committee be favored and the following men were chosen as members: Major Philip Wales, W. E. Marwedel, W. J. Murray, James T. O'Keefe, T. C. Gregory, A. G. C. Hahn and W. L. Growall. The committee met at the close of the mass meeting and elected Mr. Growall chairman and Mr. Murray secretary.

DOINGS ABOUT THE COUNTY OFFICES

Matters of General Interest to Litigants Culled from the Public Records.

In the case of Marie Hilton et al. vs. A. A. Loreaux, judgment was rendered for the defendant. The plaintiff sued to recover \$1000 damages for the alleged injury to plaintiff's premises at San Bruno by defendant, who claims that his entry upon the premises was to remove certain plumbing apparatus belonging to him, and that entry was not malicious, and that no damage was done. Jas. T. O'Keefe represented the defendant, and Joseph A. Brown the plaintiff.

Appeals to Supreme Court.
The plaintiffs in the suit of the Emporium Company vs. the City of San Mateo have filed a notice of appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision rendered by Judge Buck on February 18, 1915, in favor of the defendant. The notice was filed in the county clerk's office on Wednesday.

Civil Actions Dismissed.
The civil suit entitled Barbara Miguel and others against Rosa Quardo was dismissed in the Superior Court yesterday. The notice of dismissal was filed in the county clerk's office yesterday afternoon.

New Building Contracts.
The following builder's contracts were filed in the county recorder's office during the week:

Croop and Keegan agree to erect a one and one-half story shingle bungalow for John McConvey at San Mateo for \$2072. The work is to be completed in 75 days.

Articles of Incorporation Filed.
The Buffalo Social Club filed articles of incorporation yesterday in the county clerk's office. The club has no capital stock as no business shall be conducted by it for pecuniary profit. The principal place of business of the corporation shall be Granada, San Mateo county. The purpose of the concern is to form an association for social enjoyment and mutual benefit of its members. The directors elected for the first year are: F. Cowley, Granada; T. W. Dodd, San Francisco, and Julius Horst, San Francisco.

Marriage Licenses Issued.
James P. Dunning, aged 31, and Emily T. Anderson, aged 26, both of San Francisco.

Herman A. Spinat, aged 22, and Josephine A. Petty, aged 24, both of San Francisco.

J. E. Cheney, aged 21, and Florence J. McCarthy, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

W. F. Sullivan, aged 44, San Francisco, and Katherine Johnson, aged 23, Oakland.

John Stewart, aged 23, and Marjorie Erskine, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

John M. Biggio, 23 Colma, and Anna E. Kearns, 18, Halfmoon Bay.

Probate Court Orders.
Estate and guardianship of Frances Howard, an incompetent person. Further trial continued to April 2.

Estate and guardianship of Emelia Andrades, an incompetent person. Sale of personal property confirmed.

Estate of Pablo Vasquez, deceased. Petition for partial distribution continued to April 8th.

Estate of Rosine Grimald, deceased. Will admitted to probate and Jean Esoulli granted letters testamentary with bond fixed at \$15,000.

Estate of Marin Bonnett, deceased. Account allowed an settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of Elizabeth Francis, deceased. Alvin Hatch granted letters of administration with bond fixed at \$2000.

Estate and guardianship of Frank Quardo, et al, minors. Manuel Quardo appointed guardian with bond fixed at \$400.

Estate of John Quardo, deceased. Final account allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of H. G. Plymire, deceased. Order of sale of personal property made.

Estate of Ann Claffey, deceased. Final account and petition for distribution continued to April 15.

Estate of Bridget Cullen, deceased. Fourth annual account allowed and settled.

Estate of J. P. Cullen, deceased. Second annual account allowed and settled.

Estate of William Meyer, deceased. Will admitted to probate and William R. Meyer granted letters testamentary with bond fixed at \$500.

Estate of Emma L. Goldkuhl, deceased. M. J. C. Goldkuhl appointed administrator with bond fixed at \$100.

Estate of Kate Sullivan, deceased. M. N. Enright appointed administrator with bond fixed at \$1200.

Estate of Adolph Mac Blesinger, deceased. Second account of guardian continued to April 15th.

Estate of Susie de Soto, deceased. Petition for letters of administration continued to April 15.

Estate of John Kruger, deceased. Petition for letters continued to April 8.

Estate of Catherine Francis, deceased. Final account allowed and settled.

Christian Science Services.
Christian Science Society, Women's Club House, Services Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject, "Reality." Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Weekly testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

PASSING MATTERS OF LOCAL INTEREST

News of Redwood City Boiled Down to Condensed Paragraphs.

The afternoon bridge club met at the home of Mrs. G. L. Bresse, Tuesday. Mrs. Roy W. Cloud won high score, while the draw prize went to Mrs. H. O. Heiner.

Robert Lipp, who has been working in the southern part of the State for the past three years, has returned to Redwood City and will soon be on the ice wagon in the employ of his brother Will.

See Einstein's English last shoes in tan and black for men and women.

Mrs. Sarah Kirtland left last Sunday for San Jose where she will make her home. Mrs. Kirtland resided in Redwood City for a number of years and has many warm friends here.

Daly & MacKenzie are building a six-room bungalow in Redwood Highlands. It will contain hardwood floors and all the late improvements. When finished it will be placed on the market for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargrove Harrison are here from San Francisco spending the week with Mrs. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Woodhams. Mr. Harrison is a manual training teacher in the Wilmerding school.

Robert Pitcher, a former well-known resident of this county and at one time an aspirant for the shirlevally, is a candidate for the office of trustee of the Mayfield school district. The election takes place on April 2d.

Miss Lula Benger, who teaches German in the Little School, San Francisco, and Berthold Werder, who has charge of several classes in electricity in the Wilmerding school, are enjoying a week's vacation.

Use Water Glass for preserving eggs now when they are cheap. All size bottles and cans. A. D. Walsh Co., Pioneer drug store, 12 Broadway.

The neat and attractive new sign over the entrance to Hull Bros' hardware store is being favorably commented upon and the owners are complimented for their liberality. The sign is the most costly ever put up in Redwood City.

County Clerk Jos. H. Nash was called to Sacramento during the week to consult with a committee of the County Clerks' Association, who are looking after the election bills now before the legislature. Mr. Nash is expected home today.

The girls' basket ball team of the grammar school has received a challenge from Mayfield and they are enthusiastically training to defeat the Mayfield team on their own court.

A birthday party was given to Misses Louise and Mary Niello Sunday at their pretty home on Chestnut street. The guests were from San Francisco and Menlo Park. Cards and music were enjoyed and all departed having had a good time. Miss Louise Niello rendered a vocal solo and her sweet voice touched the hearts of all present.

Last Tuesday evening Edwin R. Fox, L. A. Heiner, L. Otzen and F. W. Glennan entertained a number of friends at a game of whist in Odd Fellows' hall. Sixteen persons were present and enjoyed the cards until near midnight, when tempting refreshments were served.

The Burlingame city council recently passed an ordinance compelling jitney bus drivers to file a bond of \$500 and pay a yearly license of \$50. The law goes into effect on Monday next. It is believed that the stringency of the measure will cause the jitney buses to go out of business.

Dr. Ross was called to the home of Dr. Kroeck, who maintains a nice home in Wellesley Park, on Monday to attend the little daughter of the doctor, who is suffering from pneumonia. The girl will recover, although she will be confined to her home for some time.

Mrs. Ross and Dolley operated upon Mrs. M. Koppel at her home in Wellesley Park last Sunday for appendicitis. The patient underwent the operation successfully and all indications are that she will recover rapidly. Her husband is the vice president of the Dollar Steamship Company of San Francisco.

B. M. Moody, the popular draughtsman in the county surveyor's office, was operated upon in the McNutt hospital in San Francisco on Friday of last week, for appendicitis. Late reports from the hospital indicate that Mr. Moody will recover, and will soon be convalescent.

Henry Andrews, who has conducted a jewelry store in the Sequoia building for the past year, will leave next week for McCloud to start business there. He is selling his stock of jewelry at cost. Those desiring bargains would do well to consult him. He has an almost new show case which he will sell for a small sum.

Lee Pipkin and wife attended the Democratic love feast given in honor of Vice President Marshall in the Faremont hotel at San Francisco on Wednesday evening. There were about one thousand persons at the banquet. Mr. Pipkin did not appear on the list of speakers, however, he enjoyed the brilliant oration of the vice president.

William Kelting is very ill with pneumonia at his home in Wellesley Park. Dr. Chapin was called on the case Wednesday night and is rendering all the aid possible to the sick man. Hopes are entertained for his ultimate recovery. Mr. Kelting is well-known in Redwood City. His many friends hope he will recover.

Shoes extra good values in button and lace, see Einstein.

